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SUBJECT: KOREA IN 30TH UNGA

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1. IN VIEW YOGA AND MURDANI RECOMMENDATIONS, YOU SHOULD
SEEK EARLY APPOINTMENT WITH GENERAL SUHARTO ON KOREAN
QUESTION.

2. FULLY CONCUR IN YOUR RECOMMENDATION PARA 6 REFTTEL.
AS YOGA SUGGESTED, YOU SHOULD STRESS THAT NORTH KOREA
VICTORY IN UN WOULD CONTRIBUTE SIGNIFICANTLY TO THE
FURTHER ISOLATION OF SOUTH KOREA INTERNATIONALLY,
AND INCREASE TENSIONS ON KOREAN PENINSULA. IN ADDITION
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YOU SHOULD STRESS THAT ALGERIAN RESOLUTION IN FIRST

INSTANCE IS DIRECTLY AIMED AT U.S. AND U.S. MILITARY PRESENCE IN KOREA. GIVEN SUHARTO'S CLEAR INTEREST IN OUR SECURITY ROLE IN EAST ASIA, AS WELL AS HIS PERSONAL INTEREST IN KOREAN SITUATION, HE WILL APPRECIATE OUR DETERMINATION TO DEFEAT HOSTILE RESOLUTION.

3. IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO, YOU MAY TELL BOTH

MALIK AND SUHARTO THAT WE APPRECIATE INDONESIAN RELUCTANCE TO SUPPORT OUR RESOLUTION AND WOULD UNDERSTAND INDONESIAN ABSTENTION ON THAT. HOWEVER, IF WE ARE TO DEFEAT HOSTILE RESOLUTION, IT IS ESSENTIAL THAT GOI ACTIVELY SUPPORT US ON ANY PROCEDURAL VOTES AS WELL AS OPPOSING HOSTILE RESOLUTION. WE WOULD ALSO HOPE THAT GOI COULD USE ITS INFLUENCE WITH OTHER ASEAN COUNTRIES TO BRING THEM TO SIMILAR POSITION.

4. FYI: PHILIPPINES AGREED TO SUPPORT OUR RESOLUTION, TO BACK U.S. POSITION ON PROCEDURAL VOTES AND TO OPPOSE HOSTILE RESOLUTION. THAIS HAVE STATED THEY WILL SUPPORT OUR RESOLUTION AND ON PROCEDURAL MATTERS BUT REMAIN RELUCTANT TO COMMIT THEMSELVES TO VOTING AGAINST HOSTILE RESOLUTION. MALAYSIANS AND SINGAPORE SO FAR MAINTAIN POSITION OF ABSTENTION ON BOTH SUBSTANTIVE RESOLUTIONS WHILE POSSIBLY SUPPORTING US ON PROCEDURAL QUESTIONS. END FYI.

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